

She Smoked on the Street; Shocked Newport Society



Mrs. LEONARD M. THOMAS.

Mrs. Leonard M. Thomas, who was Miss Blanche Oelrichs, started Newport yesterday by alighting from her automobile with a lighted cigarette between her lips, at which she puffed carelessly while looking into the windows of a department store before entering. She was still smoking when she went into the store. The women of the circle in which Mrs. Thomas moves have won after a fight of many years the right to smoke in the Casino and other gathering places as do the men of their species, but the first effort to do away with the tradition against smoking in the presence of the populace on the streets met with much discussion. Society as a whole approved. The townspeople, though scandalized, are inclined to the doctrine that the summer rich may do as they please—so long as they pay their bills.

THREE BIG PARTIES IN CONVENTION AT ONCE IN JERSEY

Democrats, Republicans and
Progressives Act Under
the Geran Law.

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 30.—For the first time in the history of New Jersey—probably for the first time in any State—three State conventions, by as many political parties, are being held simultaneously here to-day. Under the provisions of the Geran law, enacted when President Wilson was Governor of New Jersey, the Republican, Democratic and Progressive parties are assembled to prepare their platforms, to reorganize their State committees and to otherwise plan for the coming gubernatorial campaign.

The Republicans are meeting at the Republican clubhouse, the Democrats in Masonic Temple and the Progressives at the Progressive headquarters. Acting Gov. Fielder and former Gov. Stokes, gubernatorial candidates of

the Democratic and Republican parties, are in direct command at their respective conventions, although in keeping with the spirit of the law, there has been little advance platform or slate making.

THE PROGRESSIVES FOLLOW ALONG SAME LINES.

Former Senator Everett Colby and his fellow Progressives are conducting their convention along the same lines as the other parties, although they insist they have even less slate making than the others.

Principal interest attaches to the work of the Democrats and the Republicans, inasmuch as it is generally recognized that the coming battle is between Stokes and Fielder. The Progressives are not yet ready to admit that they haven't "a look in" so far as the coming election is concerned.

Under the provisions of the Geran act the Democratic State convention is made up of the Governor, the gubernatorial candidate (Mr. Fielder, in both instances), the newly-elected members of the State Committee, Senate and Assembly nominees and the hold-over Senators. The Republican convention is the same make-up, with the exception that the party has no Governor.

The Progressives have neither Governor nor hold-over Senators.

Bury Gillespie at West Point.
WEST POINT, N. Y., Sept. 30.—The body of Major-Gen. George L. Gillespie was brought here from Washington, D. C., yesterday and buried in the post cemetery at 6 o'clock last evening with full military honors.

AQUEDUCT SECTIONS JOINED UNDER RIVER VARY ONLY HALF INCH

Within a Few Weeks, Engineer
Says, Bore Extending 100
Miles Will Be Complete.

By the connection of the two sections of the giant tunnel of the Catskill aqueduct seven hundred feet under the East River, Manhattan and Brooklyn are now joined for water service. J. Waldo Smith, chief engineer, announces that the junction of the ends was effected with a variation of less than half an inch.

Considering the difficulties that have been encountered in working at so great depths, this is regarded as an engineering feat of prime importance. The tunnel is through solid rock and the boring has been done with so much accuracy that very little lining will be required. The Manhattan shaft begins at Clinton

street, the Brooklyn shaft emerged at the plaza of Manhattan Bridge. For a mile beyond that point the Brooklyn shaft is complete, and in a few weeks, it is announced, it will be possible to walk the entire distance from the reservoir in the Catskills, under the Hudson at Storm King, under the Harlem and under the East River to the Brooklyn end, a distance of about a hundred miles. Only about 1,300 feet remain to be excavated. The lining of the tunnel with Portland cement will take about two years. A pipe line is to be sunk in the Narrows to convey water to the Borough of Richmond. Mr. Smith said yesterday that the work would be completed within the eight years originally allotted.

MRS. SWAN HURT RIDING.

RENO, Nev., Sept. 30.—Mrs. Mahel Miller Swan, wife of Kingsley Swan, a wealthy young clubman of Brooklyn, N. Y., was thrown from her saddle here yesterday while out riding with a party of other young members of the divorce colony.

Mrs. Swan is a daughter of Alvah Miller, a wall paper manufacturer of Brooklyn. She separated from her husband some time ago and brought an action for divorce in New York, but there was criticism of collusion by Supreme Court Justice Benedict and the suit was dropped. Young Mrs. Swan, with her baby and maid, arrived here last July.

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Black and Colors 10c to 35c
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Waists

Imported Waists in Chiffon, Crepe de Chine,
Lace and Lingerie 5.00 to 25.00
Former prices, \$15.00 to \$65.00

Neckwear

Hand Embroidered and Lace Collars,
Jabots and Guimpes 1.00 to 7.50
Former prices, \$3.00 to \$15.00

Trimmings

Fancy Metal and Colored Trimmings
25c, 50c and 75c
Former prices, 50c to \$2.50

Flowers

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Former prices, 75c, \$1.50 to \$2.50

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